

Amendment No. 1 to HB1496

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Signature of Sponsor**

AMEND Senate Bill No. 1750

House Bill No. 1496*

by deleting all language after the enacting clause and by substituting instead the following:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 4-3-2006, is amended by adding the following language as a new, appropriately designated subsection:

() The commissioner of safety shall appoint as many qualified state security personnel as are necessary to provide adequate external and internal security at the State Capitol, the Legislative Plaza, the War Memorial Building, and any property or buildings owned or leased by the state and located in Davidson County. Such personnel shall be known as the "capitol police", who shall exercise the powers and duties formerly imposed upon sworn officers appointed by the department of general services as provided in subdivision (a)(2).

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.